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SUBJECT: LEGAL REPRESENTATION AVAILABLE TO AMERICANS ARRESTED
ABROAD

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1. LEGAL COUNSEL OF THE "REPUBLIC DEFENDER" TYPE IS PROVIDED GRATIS TO ALL PRISONERS CHARGED WITH CAPITAL OFFENSES WHO ARE UNABLE TO AFFORD PRIVATE COUNSEL. MINOR CRIMINAL MATTERS, PRELIMINARY INVESTIGATIONS OF INDICTABLE OFFENSES, AND SOME CIVIL OR QUASI CIVIL MATTERS ARE TRIED SUMMARILY BY MAGISTRATE COURTS WITHOUT LEGAL REPRESENTATION IF PRISONER DOES NOT WISH TO OR IS UNABLE TO FUND PRIVATE COUNSEL.
 2. A COURT APPOINTED DEFENSE IS CUSTOMARILY ARRANGED FOR BY THE MAGISTRATE AT THE PRELIMINARY HEARING WHEN DETERMINATION HAS BEEN MADE TO REFER CASE TO HIGHER COURT.
 3. THE QUALITY OF PUBLIC FUNDED LEGAL ASSISTANCE COMPARES EQUALLY WITH THE QUALITY OF PAID, PRIVATE COUNSEL.
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